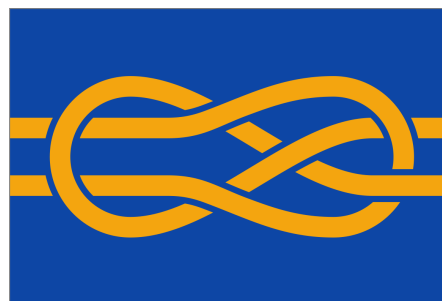

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TWENTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY AUGUST 2, 2011

Every FIAV Member is **strongly** encouraged to appoint a delegate and alternate to represent it at the Twenty-Second Session of the FIAV General Assembly on August 2, 2011. If no person from a FIAV Member is able to come to the General Assembly Session, that FIAV Member is **strongly** encouraged to appoint as its delegate either the delegate of another FIAV Member or one of the three FIAV Officers. The first General Assembly session to which current article 8 of the FIAV Constitution applies is the Twenty-Second Session in 2011.

Credentials should be brought to the General Assembly Session. If at all possible, credentials should be on the Member's official stationery.

The suggested form of written credentials is as follows:

To the President of the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques:

[Name of FIAV Member association or institution] appoints [name of person (and alternate, if desired)], as its delegate to the Twenty-Second Session of the FIAV General Assembly, to be convened August 2, 2011, in Alexandria, Virginia, United States.

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[title]
[date]
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Information on candidates for membership is included in this issue. The General Assembly agenda will be issued shortly.

The FIAV Board also welcomes suggestions for recipients of the Vexillon and Fellows. Any such suggestions should be sent to the Board by e-mail no later than July 11, 2011.

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The FIAV Board will recognize the following current FIAV Members and living individuals with certificates during the Twenty-Fourth International Congress of Vexillology. **The Board asks that the recipients either be present to accept their certificate or designate another person to accept it for them, as it is prohibitively expensive to mail the certificates.**

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Bruce Nicholls	2001
Whitney Smith	2001
Aldo Ziggio	2001
Alfred Znamierowski	2001
Ralph G. C. Bartlett	2003
Bruce B. Berry	2003
Hugh Boudin	2003
Emil Dreyer	2003
Robin B. Ashburner	2005
Roberto Breschi	2005
Aníbal Gotelli	2005
Alberto Rubén Perazzo	2005
John M. Purcell	2005
Gustav Tracchia	2005
Frederick G. Brownell	2007
Kevin Harrington	2007
Sebastiá Herreros i Agüí	2007
Andreas Herzfeld	2007
Ralph D. Kelly	2007
Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	2007
Rob Raeside	2007
Gustav Söderlund	2007
Aleš Brožek	2009
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Bruce Nicolls	1989
María José Sastre y Arribas	1993
Frederick G. Brownell	1995
Aleš Brožek	1997
Donald T. Healy et al.	1999
Armand Noël du Payrat	2001
Alfred Znamierowski	2003
Petr Exner	2005
John M. Purcell et al.	2005
Whitney Smith	2007

Best Paper (living recipients to be recognized at the Congress welcome reception on July 31, 2011)

Ralph Kelly	2005
Emil Dreyer	2007
Akira Kumagai	2009

Members (current; to be recognized at the Twenty-Second Session of the General Assembly on August 2, 2011)

North American Vexillological Association	1969 (charter)
The Flag Research Center	1969 (charter)
National Flag Foundation	1969 (charter)
Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde /	
Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia	1969 (charter)
Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde	1969 (charter)
The Flag Institute	1971 (number 13)
Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici	1973 (number 14)
Nordisk Flaggsekskab / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flaggsällskapet /	
Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura	1973 (number 15)
Tumbling Waters Museum of Flags	1975 (number 16)
Flag Research Centre of Sri Lanka	1977 (number 18)
Sociedad Española de Vexilología	1979 (number 19)
Societas Vexillologica Belgica	1979 (number 20)
Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia	1981 (number 22)
Flag Society of Australia Inc.	1985 (number 23)
Partioheraldikot r.y.	1985 (number 24)
Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap	1985 (number 26)
Société française de vexillologie	1991 (number 27)
Southern African Vexillological Association	1991 (number 28)
Česká vexilologická společnost o. s.	1993 (number 29)
The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie	1993 (number 30)
Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux	1993 (number 31)
Heraldica Slovenica	1993 (number 32)
Asociación Argentina de Vexilología	1993 (number 33)
World Vexillological Research Institute	1993 (number 34)
Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V.	1993 (number 35)
Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales	1993 (number 36)
Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre	1995 (number 37)
Chesapeake Bay Flag Association	1995 (number 38)
New Zealand Flag Association	1995 (number 39)
Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne	1995 (number 40)
Українське Геральдичне Товариство /	
Ukrayins'ke Heral'dychne Tovarystvo /The Ukrainian Heraldry Society	1995 (number 41)
Magyarországi Zászló Társaság	1995 (number 42)
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V.	1997 (number 43)
Mauritius Buch Verlag GmbH	1997 (number 44)
Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh /Société Bretonne de Vexillologie	1997 (number 45)
The Heraldry and Vexilology Society of Malta	1997 (number 46)
The Burgee Data Archives	1997 (number 47)
Societatea Română de Vexilologie	1999 (number 48)
Great Waters Association of Vexillology	1999 (number 49)
New England Vexillological Association	1999 (number 50)
Instytut Heraldyczno-Weksylogiczny	2001 (number 51)

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/ Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai / Japanese Vexillological Association	2001 (number 52)
Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică "Paul Gore"	2001 (number 55)
Flags of the World	2001 (number 56)
Vexillological Association of the State of Texas	2001 (number 57)
Flag Heritage Foundation	2003 (number 58)
Российский Центр флаговедения и геральдики / Russian Centre of Vexillology and Heraldry	2003 (number 59)
Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre	2003 (number 60)
Asociación Venezolana de Simbología	2005 (number 61)
Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo / Croatian Heraldic and Vexillologic Association	2007 (number 62)
Indian Vexillological Association	2007 (number 63)
Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland	2009 (number 64)

ICV Organizers (current FIAV Members and when publication of the *Proceedings* has occurred; to be recognized at the Twenty-Second Session of the General Assembly on August 2, 2011)

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The Flag Research Center	ICV 3 (1969)
North American Vexillological Association	ICV 3 (1969)
The Flag Institute	ICV 5 (1973)
The Flag Research Center	ICV 7 (1977)
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Sociedad Española de Vexilología	ICV 11 (1985)
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North American Vexillological Association	ICV 12 (1987)
Flag Society of Australia Inc.	ICV 13 (1989)
Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia	ICV 14 (1991)
Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia	ICV 15 (1993)
Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre	ICV 16 (1995)
Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne	ICV 16 (1995)
Southern African Vexillological Association	ICV 17 (1997)
The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie	ICV 18 (1999)
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The Flag Institute	ICV 19 (2001)
Nordisk Flagselskap / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flagsällskapet / Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura	ICV 20 (2003)
Asociación Argentina de Vexilología	ICV 21 (2005)
Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales	ICV 21 (2005)
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V.	ICV 22 (2007)

日本旗章学協会

/ Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai / Japanese Vexillological Association	ICV 23 (2009)
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Whitney Smith	International League of Vexillologists Board Member	1965 to 1967
Whitney Smith	FIAV Provisional Council Vice-President	1967 to 1969
Hugh Boudin	FIAV President	1981 to 1993
Whitney Smith	FIAV Secretary-General	1969 to 1981 and 1983 to 1991
Emil Dreyer	FIAV Secretary-General	1991 to 1997
Whitney Smith	FIAV Secretary-General for Congresses	1981 to 1983
Ralph G. C. Bartlett	FIAV Secretary-General for Congresses	1989 to 1997
Bruce B. Berry	FIAV Secretary-General for Congresses	1997 to 1999

Laureates of the Federation (living; to be recognized at the Congress closing banquet on August 5, 2011)

Whitney Smith	1991
Scot M. Guenter	2003

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Note: An “autochthonous and authorized representative of the applicant” must be present at the session of the General Assembly at which there is to be a vote on the application.

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Periodical Publications: *Vlaggenlijn* (Dutch; 1998 to 2008) (in collaboration with Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland)
Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; since 2008 (in collaboration with Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam))
Notes: Changed name on November 26, 2007 as successor (with Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland) to Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR)

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"European maps and historical sources about Georgia" 2008; George Lobzhanidze
"Mikheil Vodboldski and Georgian Heraldry" 2010
"Georgian Heraldry" Tornike Asatiani 2010

To the FIAV Executive Board

The State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament of Georgia hereby applies for membership in the International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV).

SCHG submits and commits itself to the FIAV purposes:

- to create strong bond among associations and institutions and to encourage and coordinate their work, studies, and research;
- to promote the organization of International Congresses of Vexillology and to lend its support to their organizers;
- to encourage the creation in all countries of associations and institutions dedicated to vexillology; and
- to sanction international standards facilitating the development of this activities.

I am sure, you know Georgia was a post-Soviet republic and we started from the beginning. But it is important to say Georgia has heraldry traditions and experience and our main purpose to restore and develop this.

The State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament Georgia has been founded in accordance of Georgian Parliament's № 5778-I-decision 29.02.08. We have statutes and structure which define our rights and incumbencies.

Firstly (1994) it was a commission of the President of Georgia, and at the beginning it was non-governmental, non-profit association.

At present the State Council of Heraldry regulates and settles national heraldry signs and symbols. We created flags, coat-of-arms symbols of cities, towns, regions municipalities. For example from 67 municipalities of Georgia 34 have already adopted and proved flags and arms. Here work well-known historians, heraldry specialists, jurist, designer and so on. Periodically we arrange exhibitions to show our works and hold seminars in regions for people to introduce some standards for creation flags and symbols. Just now we try to establish communications with different countries, our group works at our web-site www.heraldika.ge (English version in the spring) that will launch soon. We have a Facebook page (Heradry of Georgia) also.

Eldar Shengelaia
Chairman of
State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament of Georgia



The Board of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV)
c/o Mr. Charles A. Spain Jr.
Executive Secretary-General
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Rotterdam, January 13, 2011.

The Rotterdam Flag Parade Foundation (in Dutch Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam SVPR) hereby applies for the membership of the International Federation of Vexillological Associations (FIAV).

The SVPR has been established on November 26, 2007 in Rotterdam as a successor of the Rotterdam Flag Museum Foundation (in Dutch Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam SVR, established June 6, 1997), together with the Netherlands Flag Museum Foundation (in Dutch Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland SVN), a member of FIAV.

The SVPR is a non-governmental and non-profit foundation with the goal:

- a. to collect and expose flags and banners in flag parades in the Netherlands and elsewhere;
- b. to organize exhibitions and special events on flags and banners;
- c. to develop all activities which are related to the aforementioned.

The foundation has as primary goal to collect and expose flags and banners in one or more Flag Parades in the Netherlands and more specifically the management of the existing Rotterdam Flag Parade which consists of 230 flag poles with the illuminated flags of all the 170 nations represented in the Dutch population (as a "Welcome to the Netherlands") plus the 60 flags of the sponsors. This Rotterdam Flag Parade is used as well for special exhibitions and flag hoisting ceremonies and during special events.

The SVPR hereby formally commits itself to the FIAV purposes, as defined in Article 3 of its Constitution, namely

- a. to create a strong bond among those associations and institutions and to encourage and coordinate their work, studies and research;
- b. to promote periodically the organization of International Congresses of Vexillology and to lend its support to the organizers;
- c. to encourage the creation in all countries of associations and institutions dedicated to vexillology;
- d. to sanction international standards facilitating the development of these activities.

The SVPR is constituted in conformity with the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands. According to these, the SVPR is registered in the Register of Foundations and Associations of the Rotterdam Chamber of Commerce under the number 41136370. Following this the SVPR is registered as a business subject in relation to the Added Value Tax Law.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the SVPR Articles of Constitution (in Dutch). These define the goals, activities and bodies of the Foundation and its duties and rights.

The highest body of the foundation is the Board, consisting of the President, the Vice-President, the Treasurer, the Secretary and two ordinary members.

The SVPR maintains a website at www.vlaggenparade.nl through which the public, the sponsors and the media are informed on all the news in the field of flags, banners and flag parades in the Netherlands and abroad, on the news in the Foundation and in comparable associations and institutions in the Netherlands and abroad and on all related issues with special attention to flag parades.

The SVPR published 3 times a year a bulletin named "Vlaggenlijn" (Flagline) in cooperation with the Netherlands Flag Museum Foundation. "Flagline" contained articles on various aspects of the vexillological world and on the history of flags, the flags of new countries and on Flag Parades. This publication merged with the Bulletin "Vexilla Nostra" of the (FIAV member) Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (Netherlands Vexillological Association NVvV). The new magazine VLAG! has since 2008 continued the highly informative and scientific contents of its predecessors.

The SVPR maintains close relations with the Netherlands Flag Museum Foundation, the Netherlands Vexillological Association, the Netherlands Supreme Council of Nobility, as well as with a number of Dutch Ministries and educational institutions, with the Rotterdam Town Council and its Burgomaster.

The SVPR is in contact with related institutions in the world through personal contacts of the Board Members, exchange of ideas and publications and occasional visits. Two Board members attended the FIAV International Congress of Vexillology in Berlin in 2007 and two Board members attended as authorized representatives the FIAV-Congress and General Assembly in Yokohama in 2009.

Thank you for your consideration of our application. In case you need any further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

Hans H. Horsting mba
Board Secretary

Tom Bokhout
President



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Skopje, 31-01-2011

Subject: Application for FIAV

Dear Prof. Lupant,

Please accept the following Application of the Macedonian Heraldry Society in your organization.

The Macedonian Heraldry Society is a voluntary, non-governmental incorporated society (locally 'association of citizens') established in Skopje on Aug 15, 2003. It is located only in Skopje and has about 12 members.

The Board has three members:

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MHS issues "Macedonian Herald", a Macedonian-English official Gazette, with 4 issues published so far.

Macedonian Heraldry Society has very good relationships with Serbian Heraldry Society "White Eagle", Croatian and Bulgarian heraldry and Vexillology Societies.

Please find attached the first 7 articles of the Statute.

Respectfully,

Jovan Jonovski,
Herald and President of the
Macedonian Heraldry Society

STATUTE

of "Macedonian Heraldry Society" Inc.

Article 1

The Macedonian Heraldry Society is a voluntary, non-governmental incorporated society (locally 'association of citizens') that acts on the territory of the Republic of Macedonia in accordance with applicable positive regulations.

Article 2

The Society operates under the name "Makedonsko Heraldicko Zdruzenie". The name of the Society in English would be "MACEDONIAN HERALDRY SOCIETY".

Article 3

The Macedonian Heraldry Society (hereafter 'the Society') is a legal entity with rights, obligations and responsibilities stipulated by the Constitution, the Law and this Statute. The headquarters of the Society is in Skopje at following address: Petar Mandjukov 113 / 6.

Article 4

The Society has seal and stamp.
The seal features the words "Makedonsko Heraldicko Zdruzenie" around the Coat of Arms of the Society.
The stamp has imprinted text "Makedonsko Heraldicko Zdruzenie", number, date and place.

Article 5

The Coat of Arms of the Society shall be: On red field a silver hipokamp, which holds in the front legs crossed gold pen and herald's baton. Above the shield herald's crown. Behind the shield two crossed herald's batons.
The Coat of Arms can be represented in other heraldic presentations, medium, large, etc., as determined by policy.

Article 6

Objectives of the Society

1. Popularization of heraldry and related sciences and disciplines.
2. Research of the heraldic heritage of the Republic of Macedonia.
3. Recommendation and design of arms, flags, decorations.
4. Establishing heraldic register that will catalogue old and new arms, as well as any updates of existing arms.
5. Education in the field of heraldry and related sciences and disciplines.
6. Publishing works on heraldry and related sciences and disciplines.

Under related sciences and disciplines we consider the following: genealogy, vexillology, sphragistics, phaleristics, nobility and chivlaristic issues.

Article 7

- The objectives of the previous article, among other things, are accomplished through:
- Organizing workshops, seminars, panel discussions and lectures.
- Publication of printed materials, magazines, books, brochures, copyright and translations.
- Establishing sections related sciences and disciplines: genealogy, vexillology, sphragistics, phaleristics, nobility and chivlaristic issues.
- Establishing a Library

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Ralph G. C. Bartlett FF (Australia)	September 27, 1989	to	August 14, 1997
Bruce B. Berry FF (South Africa)	August 14, 1997	to	July 30, 1999
Graham M. P. Bartram (United Kingdom)	July 30, 1999	to	present

Councillors (abolished September 29, 1983)

Austria	Franz Kaindl	April 17, 1975	to	September 29, 1983
Belgium	Roger E. Harmignies	September 7, 1969	to	September 29, 1983
Canada	Harold A. Diceman†	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Ralph Spence	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
Denmark	Christian Fogd Pedersen FF†	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
Finland	Bo Tennberg	June 12, 1977	to	September 29, 1983
France	Georges Pasch†	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Lucien Philippe FF†	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
Germany, West	Ottfried Neubecker LF, FF†	September 7, 1969	to	September 17, 1973
	Johannes Klein	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
Italy	Raffaele Natta-Soleri	September 7, 1969	to	April 17, 1975
	Mario Gibellini	April 17, 1975	to	September 29, 1983
Netherlands	Johannes Hendrik Rombach†	?	to	June 24, 1971
				(interim, named by NVvV after GA 1)
Norway		June 24, 1971	to	September 29, 1983
	Atle Grahl-Madsen†	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983

¹ Named Honorary President September 17, 1973.

² Died in office.

Spain	Sebastiá Herreros i Agüí ^{FF}	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
Sweden	Leif Pålsson	April 18, 1975	to	June 12, 1977
	Walter Rydberg	June 12, 1977	to	September 29, 1983
Switzerland	Peter Mäder	September 7, 1969	to	June 29, 1979
	Louis Mühlemann ^{FF†}	June 29, 1979	to	September 29, 1983
United Kingdom	E.M.C. Barraclough ^{LF†}	September 7, 1969	to	June 24, 1971
	vacant	June 24, 1971	to	September 17, 1973
	William G. Crampton ^{LF, FF†}	September 17, 1973	to	September 29, 1983
United States	William C. Spangler	September 7, 1969	to	September 29, 1983

AWARDS

Laureates of the Federation, established in 1969, named by the FIAV Board for making an outstanding, original contribution to the science of vexillology. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board, a plaque, and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a neck ribband of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. Laureates may use the post-nominal ^{LF}. Laureates are named only when there are worthy recipients.

E.M.C. Barraclough†	September 28, 1983
Whitney Smith	July 5, 1991
Ottfried Neubecker†	August 2, 1999
William G. Crampton†	August 2, 1999
Scot M. Guenter	July 29, 2003

Fellows of the Federation, established in 2001, named by the FIAV Board for making significant contributions to vexillology and/or for rendering significant service to FIAV or a FIAV Member. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a medal bearing the central knot device of the FIAV flag suspended from a chest ribbon of blue and yellow, the colors of the FIAV flag, as well as a miniature ribbon and a lapel pin. Fellows may use the post-nominal ^{FF}. Fellows are named only when there are worthy recipients.

Teodoro Amerlinck y Zírión†	July 27, 2001
Barrie Kent†	July 27, 2001
Bruce Nicholls	July 27, 2001
Christian Fogd Pedersen†	July 27, 2001
Lucien Philippe†	July 27, 2001
Whitney Smith	July 27, 2001
Aldo Ziggio	July 27, 2001
Alfred Znamierowski	July 27, 2001
Ralph G. C. Bartlett	July 29, 2003
Bruce B. Berry	July 29, 2003
Hugh Boudin	July 29, 2003
William G. Crampton†	July 29, 2003
Emil Dreyer	July 29, 2003
Louis Mühlemann†	July 29, 2003
Ottfried Neubecker†	July 29, 2003
Klaes Sierksma†	July 29, 2003
Robin B. Ashburner	August 5, 2005
Roberto Breschi	August 5, 2005
Aníbal Gotelli	August 5, 2005
Alberto Rubén Perazzo	August 5, 2005
John M. Purcell	August 5, 2005
Gustav Tracchia	August 5, 2005
Frederick G. Brownell	August 10, 2007
Kevin Harrington	August 10, 2007
Sebastiá Herreros i Agüí	August 10, 2007
Andreas Herzfeld	August 10, 2007
Ralph D. Kelly	August 10, 2007
Michael Krag-Juel-Vind-Frijs	August 10, 2007
Rob Raeside	August 10, 2007
Gustav Söderlund	August 10, 2007
Gerd Vehres†	August 10, 2007
Aleš Broek	July 17, 2009

Andries Burgerst	July 17, 2009
Jan Oskar Engene	July 17, 2009
John Hall	July 17, 2009
Nozomi Kariyasu	July 17, 2009
Ludvík Mucha	July 17, 2009
Harry Oswald†	July 17, 2009
Jos Poels	July 17, 2009
Tomás Rodríguez Peñas	July 17, 2009
Miru Takanot	July 17, 2009

The Vexillon, established in 1989, has developed into an award for the most important contribution to vexillology during the two years preceding an International Congress of Vexillology. The recipient is selected by the FIAV Board. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a plaque. The Vexillon is sponsored by the Flag Society of Australia Inc.

Bruce Nicolls ^{FF}	September 29, 1989
"Practical Aspects of Designing, Making and Flying Flags"	
William G. Crampton ^{LF, FF†}	July 5, 1991
<i>Flags of the World</i>	
<i>The Complete Guide to Flags</i>	
<i>The World of Flags - Pictorial History</i>	
<i>The World's Flags</i>	
María José Sastre y Arribas	August 25, 1993
<i>Diccionario de Vexilología</i>	
<i>Normas de Descripción y Codificación Vexilológica</i>	
General research into the history of the Madrid coat of arms	
Frederick G. Brownell ^{FF}	July 5, 1995
Designing the national flag of the Republic of South Africa	
Aleš Broek ^{FF}	August 15, 1997
Lifetime study into Czech flags and symbols	
Publication and continuous update of vexillological bibliography	
Editor of <i>Vexilologie</i> for over 20 years, thus establishing and maintaining contacts with the West during the "Cold War" era	
Donald T. Healy and the editorial board	August 2, 1999
and staff of <i>Raven: A Journal of</i> <i>Vexillology</i> who worked on "Flags of the Native Peoples of the United States"	
Armand Noël du Payrat	July 27, 2001
<i>Album des Pavillons</i>	
Alfred Znamierowski ^{FF}	July 29, 2003
<i>The World Encyclopedia of Flags</i>	
Petr Exner	August 5, 2005
<i>Vexilologický lexikon -</i> <i>vlajky obcí České republiky</i> [<i>Vexillological Lexicon - Flags</i> <i>of Municipalities in the Czech Republic</i>]	
John M. Purcell ^{FF} and the other authors, editors, and staff of <i>Raven: A Journal of</i> <i>Vexillology</i> who worked on "American City Flags"	August 5, 2005
Howard M. Madaust† and Whitney Smith ^{LF, FF}	August 10, 2007
<i>The American Flag:</i> <i>Two Centuries of Concord & Conflict</i>	
Andries Burgers ^{FF†}	July 17, 2009
<i>The South African Flag Book:</i> <i>The History of South African Flags</i> <i>from Dias to Mandela</i>	

The Best Paper Award, established in 2005, recognizes outstanding scholarship and presentation of a paper at an International Congress of Vexillology. The recipient is selected by a panel appointed by the FIAV Board consisting, if possible, of a representative of the Congress organizers, flag manufacturers, and vexillologists. The award consists of a certificate signed by the Board and a pewter tray. The Best Paper Award is sponsored by the North American Vexillological Association.

Ralph Kelly ^{FF} "Caudillos, Coups, Constitutions and Changes: An Analysis of Flag Changes in Latin America"	August 5, 2005
Emil Dreyer ^{FF} "Flags of the Pope's Swiss Guard Since 1798"	August 10, 2007
Akira Kumagai "Flags of Higher Schools in Imperial Japan 1894-1950"	July 17, 2009

UPCOMING DATES

August 1–5, 2011	Twenty-Fourth International Congress of Vexillology, Alexandria, Virginia USA (Washington, District of Columbia area)
August 2, 2011	Twenty-Second Session of the General Assembly convenes



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	Venue	Dates	Organizer(s)
ICV 1	Muiderberg, Noord-Holland, Netherlands	September 4 to 5, 1965	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
ICV 2	Zürich, Switzerland	September 1 to 3, 1967	Gilde der Zürcher Heraldiker and Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
ICV 3	Boston, Massachusetts, United States	September 5 to 7, 1969	The Flag Research Center, Heraldry Society of Canada, North American Vexillological Association, and United States Flag Foundation
ICV 4	Torino, Piemonte, Italy	June 24 to 27, 1971	Accademia di San Marciano Sezione Vessillologica
ICV 5	London, England, United Kingdom	September 13 to 18, 1973	The Flag Institute (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 6	IJsselmeer, Flevoland, Netherlands	April 16 to 20, 1975	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
ICV 7	Washington, District of Columbia, United States	June 10 to 14, 1977	The Flag Research Center and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 8	Wien, Austria	June 26 to 29, 1979	Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde
ICV 9	Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	August 24 to 28, 1981	The Flag Research Center, Heraldry Society of Canada, and North American Vexillological Association (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 10	Oxford, England, United Kingdom	September 25 to 30, 1983	Heraldry Society Flag Section
ICV 11	Madrid, Spain	May 26 to 31, 1985	Sociedad Española de Vexilología
ICV 12	San Francisco, California, United States	August 12 to 16, 1987	The Flag Research Center and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 13	Melbourne, Victoria, Australia	September 24 to 29, 1989	Flag Society of Australia Inc.
ICV 14	Barcelona, Catalunya, Spain	June 30 to July 5, 1991	Associació Catalana de Vexil·logia
ICV 15	Zürich, Switzerland	August 23 to 27, 1993	Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société / Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
ICV 16	Warszawa, Poland	July 1 to 5, 1995	Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre, The Flag Design Center, and Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne (partial publication of Congress <i>Proceedings</i>)
ICV 17	Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa	August 10 to 16, 1997	Southern African Vexillological Association
ICV 18	Victoria, British Columbia, Canada	July 28 to August 2, 1999	The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie and North American Vexillological Association
ICV 19	York, England, United Kingdom	July 23 to July 27, 2001	The Flag Institute
ICV 20	Stockholm, Sweden	July 28 to August 1, 2003	Nordisk Flaggselskap / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flaggsällskapet / Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura
ICV 21	Buenos Aires, Capital Federal, Argentina	August 1 to 5, 2005	Asociación Argentina de Vexilología and Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales
ICV 22	Berlin, Germany	August 5 to 10, 2007	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V. and Deutsches Historisches Museum
ICV 23	Yokohama, Japan	July 12 to 17, 2009	日本旗章学協会 / Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai / Japanese Vexillological Association
ICV 24	Washington, District of Columbia, United States	August 1 to 5, 2011	North American Vexillological Association and Chesapeake Bay Flag Association

FAIV General Assembly Sessions

	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Date(s)</i>
GA 1	Boston, Massachusetts, United States	September 7, 1969
GA 2	Torino, Piemonte, Italy	June 24, 1971
GA 3	London, England, United Kingdom	September 14, 17, 1973
GA 4	IJsselmeer, Flevoland, Netherlands	April 17, 18, 1975
GA 5	Washington, District of Columbia, United States	June 12, 1977
GA 6	Wien, Austria	June 29, 1979
GA 7	Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	August 27, 28, 1981
GA 8	Oxford, England, United Kingdom	September 26, 28, 29, 1983
GA 9	Madrid, Spain	May 27, 28, 31, 1985
GA 10	San Francisco, California, United States	August 13, 14, 15, 1987
GA 11	Melbourne and Ballarat, Victoria, Australia	September 25, 27, 1989
GA 12	Barcelona and Montserrat, Catalunya, Spain	July 1, 2, 4, 1991
GA 13	Zürich, Switzerland	August 23, 25, 27, 1993
GA 14	Warszawa, Poland	July 1, 2, 3, 5, 1995
GA 15	Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa	August 11, 12, 14, 1997
GA 16	Victoria, British Columbia, Canada	July 29, 30, 1999
GA 17	York, England, United Kingdom	July 23, 2001
GA 18	Stockholm, Sweden	July 28, 2003
GA 19	Buenos Aires, Capital Federal, Argentina	August 1, 2005
GA 20	Berlin, Germany	August 7, 2007
GA 21	Yokohama, Japan	July 14, 2009
GA 22	Alexandria, Virginia, United States	August 2, 2011

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Territory: Argentina
Periodical Publication: *Estandarte* (Spanish; since 1991)

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Periodical Publication: none

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 Member Since: August 14, 1997 (number 47)
 Territory: Canada
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 Notes: changed name on August 31, 1993 from Canadian Flag Institute

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 Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 30)
 Territory: Canada
 Periodical Publication: *Flagscan* (ISSN 0833-1510; English/French; quarterly; since 1986)
 Supplements: *Banderín* (ISSN 1492-8256; English; since 1999)
Band.It (ISSN ?; English; since ?)
Dragonflags (ISSN 1492-840X; English; since 1999)
Ensign & Jack (ISSN 1492-8477; English; since 1998)
Flag City (ISSN 1492-837X; English; 1998 to ?)
Flagnaut (ISSN 1492-8396; English; since 1998)
Flagguru (ISSN ?; English; since ?)
FlagsAm (ISSN 1492-8388; English; since 1998)
Heraldo (ISSN ?; English; since ?)
Ifulegi (ISSN 1492-823X; English; since 1998)
Pavillonnerie (ISSN 1492-8248; French; since 1998)

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Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 31)

Territory: Belgium

Periodical Publication: *Gaceta de Banderas* (Spanish/French/English; eight times a year; since 1979 (in collaboration with Sociedad Española de Vexilología))

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Member Since: September 14, 1973 (number 14)

Territory: Italy

Periodical Publications: *Vexilla Italica* (Italian; since 1974)

Vexilla Notizie (Italian; since 2002)

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Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 37)

Territory: Poland

Periodical Publication: *Weksyli@na: Biuletyn informacyjny rynku flagowo - heraldycznego* (ISSN 1505-3784; Polish, with selected texts in English and Spanish; since 1997; available by e-mail request to wserwatowski@onet.eu)

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Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 29)
Territory: Czech Republic
Periodical Publications: *Vexilologie* (ISSN 1211-2615; Czech (English translations of articles available); since 1972)
Vexillological Letters (Czech; irregular 1976 to 1989)
Vexilokontakt (Czech; irregular; since 1989 (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))
Vexilokontakt - Special Issue (English; annually; since 1997 (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))
Proceedings of the Czech National Congress on Vexillology (Czech; every four years; since 1996) (in collaboration with Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre))
Notes: recognized July 1, 1991 as "Honorary Affiliate"; changed name on April 2, 2005 from Vexilologický Klub (VK)

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Periodical Publication: *The Flagship* (English; since 1993)

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Established: February 4, 1995
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 43)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publications: *Der Flaggenkurier* (ISSN 0949-6173; German; semiannual; since 1995)
DGF-Nachrichten (German; 1995 to 2004)
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 Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 58)
 Territory: United States
 Periodical Publications: *The Standard* (English; irregular; since 2002)
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 Member Since: June 24, 1971 (number 13)
 Territory: United Kingdom
 Periodical Publications: *Flagmaster* (ISSN 0142-1271; English; semiannual; since 1978)
Flag Institute Bulletin (ISSN 0309-085X; English; irregular 1977 to 1978)
Flagmaster (ISSN 0142-5129; English; quarterly 1971 to 1975)
eFlags (no ISSN; English; irregular since 2006)
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 Established: February 1, 1962
 Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
 Territory: United States
 Periodical Publications: *The Flag Bulletin* (ISSN 0015-3370; English; bimonthly; since 1961)
 Supplements:
Flag Bulletin Newsletter / Courier de drapeau / Flaggenmitteilungen (English; bimonthly; 1967 to 1973)
Flag Information Sources (English; 1970 to 1973)
The Vexillo-File (English; irregular; since 2002)
Flag Specification Sheets (English; irregular; since 1960)
Flag Data Archives (English; 1969 to 1975)
End of the Year Review (English; annual; since 1976)
News from the Vexillarium (English; irregular; since 1982)
Flag Etiquette & Usage Standards (English; irregular; since 1996)
FlagInform (English; irregular; since 2001)

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Territory: Sri Lanka
Periodical Publication: *Flag* (1982 only)

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Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 23)
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Periodical Publication: *Crux Australis* (ISSN 0814-5008; English; quarterly; since 1984)

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Home Page: <http://www.flagspot.net>
Established: September 1993
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 56)
Territory: Canada
Periodical Publication: *Flags of the World* website (English; continuous; since 1993; available online at <http://www.flagspot.net>)

Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales (CIDEC)

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e-mail: infocidec@fibertel.com.ar
Home Page: <http://www.funcidec.org.ar>
Established: March 7, 1990; 1992 (registered as nonprofit foundation)
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 36)
Territory: Argentina
Periodical Publications: *Boletín CIDEC* (Spanish; bimonthly; since 1992)
La Page Française (French; since 1992)
Anglo-American Journal (English; since 1995)
C.I.D.E.C. en Acción: Boletín Informativo Virtual (Spanish; since 2001)

Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member August 27, 1993; temporarily known as Asociación de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (APCRA)

Great Waters Association of Vexillology (GWAV)

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Home Page: <http://gwav.tripod.com>
Established: May 11, 1991
Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 49)
Territory: United States: Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, and Ohio
Periodical Publication: *FlaGWAVer* (English; semiannual; since 1996)

Notes: changed name on November 6, 1996 from Great Waters Chapter (GWC) after NAVA voted not to establish chapters

Heraldica Slovenica (HS)

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Slovenia

Type: association
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Secretary: Viktor Rojšek, secretary
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Established: 1991
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 32)

Territory: Slovenia
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: changed name in 1995 from Slovenski Ščit - HGV Club (SS)

Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V. (HVK)

c/o Horst-Gunter Ratzke
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Type: institution
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Home Page: <http://www.zum-kleeblatt.de>
Established: December 4, 1888
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 35)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publications: *Kleeblatt: Zeitschrift für Heraldik und verwandte Wissenschaften* (German; since 1984)
Jahrbuch—Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V. (ISSN 0341-9908; German; annual; since 1963)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member August 27, 1993

The Heraldry and Vexilology Society of Malta (HAVSOM)

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Established: January 23, 1995
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 46)
Territory: Malta
Periodical Publication: *It-Tarka u 'l-Bandiera / The Shield and the Flag* (English; since 1996)

Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo (HGZD)**Croatian Heraldic and Vexillologic Association**

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Established: May 4, 2006
Member Since: August 7, 2007 (number 62)
Territory: Croatia
Periodical Publication: *Grb i Zastava* (ISSN 1846-3827; Croatian and English; semiannual; since 2006)

Indian Vexillological Association (IVA)

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Secretary: D. Lingaraju, general secretary
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Established: November 14, 2002
Member Since: August 7, 2007 (number 63)
Territory: India
Periodical Publication: none

Instytut Heraldyczno-Weksylologiczny (IHW)

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Home Page: http://www.pl.info.pl/IHW_WWW/index.php
Established: September 1, 1997
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 51)
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: *Flagi miast polskich* (Polish; bimonthly; since 2000)

Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh (KVV)**Société Bretonne de Vexillologie**

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Home Page: http://drapeauxbretagne.canalblog.com/archives/accueil___degemer/index.html
Established: June 23, 1996
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 45)
Territory: France: Brittany
Periodical Publication: *Ar Banniel* (ISSN 1274-5596; Breton/French; biannual; since 1996)
Notes: previously know by abbreviation "SBV"

Magyarországi Zászló Társaság (MZT)

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2040 BUDAÖRS
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Established: January 6, 1994
Member Since: July 5, 1995 (number 42)
Territory: Hungary
Periodical Publication: *Zászlóvilág / Flagworld* (Hungarian; since ?)
Notes: changed name on ? 2000 from Zászlókutató Intézet (ZI); changed name on ? 1997 from Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (HUVA)

Mauritius Buch Verlag GmbH (MBV)

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Established: April 11, 1991
Member Since: August 12, 1997 (number 44)
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became voting Member July 23, 2001

National Flag Foundation (NFF)

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Flag Plaza
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PITTSBURGH PA 15219-3699
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Secretary: Mary Ellen Anderson, secretary (?)
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e-mail: clark@americanflags.org
Home Page: <http://www.americanflags.org>
Established: March 26, 1968
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: United States
Periodical Publications: *The New Constellation* (ISSN 1048-7980; English; triannual; since 1990)
Flag Plaza Standard (ISSN 0882-2220; English; triannual 1970 to 1990)
Notes: changed name on April 12, 1972 from Flag Plaza Foundation (FPF)

Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (NVvV)

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Home Page: <http://home.planet.nl/~marksens/nvvv>
Established: June 19, 1966
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: Netherlands
Periodical Publication: *Vexilla Nostra* (ISSN 1382-2497; Dutch; monthly/bimonthly; 1966 to 1998)
Vlaggentijdschrift Vexilla Nostra (ISSN 1382-2497; Dutch; quarterly; 1998 to 2008)
Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; since 2008 (in collaboration with Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam))

New England Vexillological Association (NEVA)

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Home Page: <http://www.midcoast.com/~martucci/neva>
Established: April 21, 1991
Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 50)
Territory: United States: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont
Periodical Publication: *New England Journal of Vexillology* (English; semiannual; since 1995)

New Zealand Flag Association (NZFA)

c/o John Moody
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Established: January 16, 1994
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 39)
Territory: New Zealand
Periodical Publication: *Masthead* (ISSN 1173-1850; English; since 1994)
Notes: changed name on June 2, 1999 from The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (FANZ)

日本旗章学協会

Nihon Kishōgaku Kyōkai (JAVA) Japanese Vexillological Association

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Home Page: <http://www.flags-java.sakura.ne.jp>
Established: January 1, 2000
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 52)
Territory: Japan
Periodical Publication: none

Nordisk Flaggsselskap (NF)

Nordisk Flagselskab

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Norræna Fánafélagið

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Home Page: <http://www.nordicflagsociety.org>
Established: January 27, 1973
Member Since: September 14, 1973 (number 15)
Territory: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden
Periodical Publications: *Nordisk Flaggkontakt* (ISSN 0109-7539; multilingual; semiannual; since 1984; variant title is *Nordisk Flagkontakt*)
Nordisk Flagskrift (ISSN 0108-7916; Danish; irregular; 1975 to 1991)
Note: Nordisk Flaggsselskap (Norwegian), Nordisk Flagselskab (Danish), Nordiska Flaggsällskapet (Swedish), Norræna Fánafélagið (Icelandic), and Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura (Finnish)

North American Vexillological Association (NAVA)

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Home Page: <http://www.nava.org>
Established: June 3, 1967 (organized), March 19, 1968 (incorporated)
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: Canada and United States
Periodical Publications: *NAVA News* (ISSN 1053-3338; English; quarterly; since 1967)
Raven: A Journal of Vexillology (ISSN 1071-0043; English; annual; since 1994)
NAVA Yearbook (English; annual 1973 to 1983)
NAVA Handbook (English; 1986 and 1989)

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Established: November 22, 1972
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 24)
Territory: Finland
Periodical Publication: *Liehuvat Vărit* (ISSN 0357-1432; Finnish; quarterly; since 1970)
Notes: previously know by abbreviation "PR"

Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylologiczne (PTW)

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Home Page: http://www.weksylologia.pl
Established: October 10, 1992
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 40)
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: *Flaga* (ISSN 1509-2429; Polish; irregular; since 1999)

Российский Центр флаговедения и геральдики (RCVH)**Russian Centre of Vexillology and Heraldry**

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Established: September 11, 1975 as Volgo Vexillology Club
Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 59)
Territory: Russia
Periodical Publications: *The Flag* (Russian; 1976 to 1977; Russian and English since 2003)
Notes: changed name on September 11, 1991 from Volga Vexillology Club (VVC)

Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde (SSV)**Société Suisse de Vexillologie****Società Svizzera di Vessillologia**

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Home Page: http://www.vexilla.ch
Established: January 21, 1967
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Territory: Switzerland
Periodical Publication: *Vexilla Helvetica* (German and French; since 1969)

Sociedad Española de Vexilología (SEV)

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Home Page: http://www.vexilologia.org/
Established: October 31, 1977
Member Since: June 29, 1979 (number 19)
Territory: Spain
Periodical Publications: *Banderas* (ISSN 0213-0955; Spanish; quarterly; since 1979)
Gaceta de Banderas (Spanish/French/English; eight times a year; since 1992 (in collaboration with Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux))

Societas Vexillologica Belgica (SVB)

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Established: August 30, 1977
Member Since: June 29, 1979 (number 20)
Territory: Belgium
Periodical Publications: *Vexilla Belgica* (ISSN 0772-3261; multilingual; annual; 1977 to 1993)
Vexillinfo (ISSN 0772-3253; multilingual; irregular; 1980 to 1990)

Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică "Paul Gore" (SGHAPG)

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Established: October 22, 1997
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 55)
Territory: Moldova
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became voting Member July 23, 2001

Societatea Română de Vexilologie (SRV)

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Established: April 3, 1998
Member Since: July 29, 1999 (number 48)
Territory: Romania
Periodical Publication: *Societatea Română de Vexilologie* (Romanian; annual; since 1998)

Société française de vexillologie (SFV)

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Established: March 16, 1985
Member Since: July 1, 1991 (number 27)
Territory: France
Periodical Publications: *Franciae Vexilla* (ISSN 1270-0096; French; quarterly; since 1996)
Emblèmes et pavillons (ISSN 0769-7864; French; quarterly 1985 to 1996)
Annuaire de la Société française de vexillologie (ISSN 0981-2180; French; 1986, 1991, and 2005)

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Home Page: www.savaflags.org.za.
Established: November 26, 1990
Member Since: July 2, 1991 (number 28)
Territory: Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia, and Zimbabwe
Periodical Publications: SAVA *Journal* (no ISSN; English; annual; since 1992)
1 ISBN 0-620-16598-7
2 ISBN 0-620-17683-0
3 ISBN 0-620-18833-2
4 ISBN 0-620-19798-6
5 ISBN 0-620-21797-9
6 ISBN 0-620-22837-8
7 ISBN 0-620-25670-2
8 ISBN 0-620-25670-2
9 ISBN 0-620-34701-5
SAVA *Newsletter* (English; triannual; since 1991)

Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland (SVN)

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Home Page: http://www.vlaggenmuseum.nl
Established: June 6, 1997
Member Since: July 14, 2009 (number 64)
Territory: Netherlands
Periodical Publications: *Vlaggenlijn* (Dutch; 1998 to 2008)
Vlag! (ISSN 1877-167X; Dutch; triannually; since 2008 (in collaboration with Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde and Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam))
Notes: changed name on November 26, 2007 from Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR)

Středisko vexilologických informací (SVI)**Flag Data Centre**

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Home Page: http://www.vexi.info
Established: March 1994
Member Since: July 28, 2003 (number 60)
Territory: Czech Republic
Periodical Publications: *Vexilokontakt* (Czech; irregular; since 1989 (in collaboration with Česká vexilologická společnost o. s.))
vexil.info (Czech with English summary; bimonthly; since 1994; changed name in January 2005 from *vexilINFO*)
Vexilologický lexikon (Czech; semiannual; annual since 1996)

Tumbling Waters Museum of Flags (TWMF)

c/o Charles E. Brannon

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MONTGOMERY AL 36101-0002

USA

Type: institution
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Secretary: ?
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Home Page: http://www.flagsbyatlantis.com/tumbling_waters_museum_of_flags.htm
Established: July 1, 1974
Member Since: April 17, 1975 (number 16)
Territory: United States
Periodical Publication: *Flags* (English; 1975 to 1978)

Українське Геральдичне Товариство (UHT)**Ukrayins'ke Heral'dychne Tovarystvo****The Ukrainian Heraldry Society**

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Ukraine

Type: association
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Home Page: <http://uht.org.ua>
Established: July 9, 1990
Member Since: July 3, 1995 (number 41)
Territory: Ukraine
Periodical Publications: *Знак (Znak)* (in English *The Sign*) (ISSN 1998-1651; Ukrainian; since 1993)
Генеалогічні записки УГТ (in English *Genealogical Notes of the UHT*) (ISBN 978-966-02-4713-0; Ukrainian; since 2000)
Notes: originally admitted as Associate Member; became Full Member later same day

Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (VSHS)

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Established: December 14, 1960 (branch of Societas Heraldica Scandinavica), ? 1963 (established as independent organization)
Member Since: May 31, 1985 (number 26)
Territory: Sweden
Periodical Publication: *Meddelande från VSHS* (Swedish; irregular; since ?)

Vexillological Association of the State of Texas (VAST)

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Home Page: <http://www.texflags.org>
Established: February 16, 1991 (organized); March 8, 2000 (incorporated)
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 57)
Territory: United States: Texas
Periodical Publication: *VAST News* (ISSN 1531-1783; English; irregular; since 2001)

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Established: November 30, 1992
Member Since: August 23, 1993 (number 34)
Territory: Czech Republic
Periodical Publication: *Flaggen, Wappen und Siegel* (ISSN 0948-3748; German; since 1986 (since 1992 as publication of WVRI))

PUBLICATION OF MINUTES

REPORT OF THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF VEXILLOLOGY

Dates

September 4, 5, 1965

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REPORT OF THE FIAV PROVISIONAL COUNCIL MEETING

Date

September 3, 1967

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FIAV GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION MINUTES

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GA 2	June 24, 1971	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 14, page 23 (1999)
GA 3	September 14, 17, 1973	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 14, page 25 (1999)
GA 4	April 17, 18, 1975	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 17–18 (2001)
GA 5	June 12, 1977	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 20–21 (2001)
GA 6	June 29, 1979	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 23–24 (2001)
GA 7	August 27, 28, 1981	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 27–34 (2001)
GA 8	September 26, 28, 29, 1983	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 16, pages 37–50 (2001)
GA 9	May 27, 28, 31, 1985	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 17, pages 19–28 (2001)
GA 10	August 13, 14, 15, 1987	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 17, pages 31–47 (2001)
GA 11	September 25, 27, 1989	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 18, pages 14–24 (2001)
GA 12	July 1, 2, 4, 1991	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 23, pages 3–13 (2007)
GA 13	August 23, 25, 27, 1993	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 5, pages 7–11 (1994)
GA 14	July 1, 2, 3, 5, 1995	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 7, pages 2–28 (1996)
GA 15	August 11, 12, 14, 1997	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 10, pages 2–21 (1998)
GA 16	July 29, 30, 1999	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 15, pages 7–26 (2000)
GA 17	July 23, 2001	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 19, pages 1–13 (2001)
GA 18	July 28, 2003	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 21, pages 5–11 (2005)
GA 19	August 1, 2005	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 22, pages 16–21 (2007)
GA 20	August 7, 2007	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 24, pages 1–9 (2007)
GA 21	July 14, 2009	<i>Info-FIAV</i> number 28, pages 1–11 (2009)

FORMER MEMBERS

Accademia di San Marciano, Sezione Vessillologica (ASM)

Type: institution
Established: summer 1967
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: removed August 13, 1987
Territory: Italy
Periodical Publication: *Armi Antiche* (ISSN 0403-2268; multilingual; annual; since 1954)
Notes: Sezione Vessillologica ceased to be active 1975

Association française d'études internationale de vexillologie (AFEIV)

Type: association
Established: December 2, 1966
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned 1987
Territory: France
Periodical Publication: *Vexillologia* (French; 1967 to 1975)
Notes: changed name on July 28, 1969 from Association internationale d'études vexillologique (AIEV); ceased to be active in late 1975 or early 1976

Confederate States Vexillological Association (CSVA)

Type: association
Established: December 29, 2000
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 54)
Membership Ended: resigned November 27, 2008
Territory: United States: Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia
Periodical Publication: *Stars and Bars* (ISSN 1535-6779; English; quarterly; since 2001; available online at http://www.csvex.org/stars_bars.html)
Note: ceased to be active after Devereaux Cannon's death on December 29, 2007

Cumann Vexilleolaíoch na hÉireann (CVE)

Vexillological Society of Ireland

Type: association
Established: March 3, 1984
Member Since: May 28, 1985 (number 25)
Membership Ended: resigned 1992
Territory: Ireland
Periodical Publication: *Irish Vexillology Newsletter* (?; 1984 to 1987)

The Flag Design Center (FDC)

Type: institution
Established: September 30, 1978
Member Since: August 27, 1981 (number 21)
Membership Ended: resigned August 7, 2007
Territory: Poland
Periodical Publication: none

Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde (GOH)

Type: institution
Established: ? 1972 (established as "study circle"), ? 1975 (became "constituted association")
Member Since: April 17, 1975 (number 17)
Membership Ended: resigned January 3, 1997
Territory: Austria
Periodical Publication: *Militaria Austriaca* (German; since 1977)

Heraldry Society, Flag Section (HSFS)

Type: association
Established: September 7, 1967
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: removed August 13, 1987
Territory: United Kingdom
Periodical Publications: *Newsletter* (English; 1969 to ?)
Flagmaster (ISSN 0142-5129; English; quarterly; 1971 to 1975)
The Coat of Arms (English; quarterly; since ?)
The Heraldry Gazette (English; quarterly; since ?)
Notes: Flag Section ceased to be active April 11, 1972 after creation of FI

Office Généalogique et Héraldique de Belgique (OGHB)

Type: institution
Established: May 4, 1942
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned 1985
Territory: Belgium
Periodical Publications: *Le Parchemin* (?; since ?)
Le Héraut (?; since ?)
Le Recueil (?; since ?)

Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek (SBH)

Type: institution
Established: June 30, 1964
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned 1981 following ICV 9
Territory: Netherlands

United States Flag Foundation (USFF)

Type: association
Established: December 31, 1942
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: resigned April 28, 2003
Territory: United States
Periodical Publication: none
Notes: successor to the American Flag Association (AFA), which was established February 18, 1898 and changed name on April 10, 1924 to the United States Flag Association (USFA)

Vlaggen Dokumentatie Centrum Nederland (VDCN)

Flag Documentation Centre Netherlands

Type: institution
Established: November 1, 1978
Member Since: July 23, 2001 (number 53)
Membership Ended: removed August 1, 2005
Territory: Netherlands
Periodical Publications: *Info-Bulletin* (ISSN 1383-312X; Dutch/English; semiannual 1978 to 1999)
Vlaggen-Info (Dutch/English; quarterly; since 2000)
Note: ceased to be active after Derkwillem Visser, Jr.'s death on November 24, 2001

Wappen-Herold, Deutsche Heraldische Gesellschaft e.V. (WH)

Type: institution
Established: November 6, 1963
Member Since: September 7, 1969 (charter)
Membership Ended: removed July 3, 1995
Territory: Germany
Periodical Publication: *Der Tappert* (ISSN 0082-1705; German; irregular; 1964 to 1981)
Note: ceased to be active after Ottfried Neubecker LF, FF's death in 1992

MEMBERS BY ORDER OF ADMISSION

Members that were admitted in the same year are listed in the order their names appear in the official General Assembly minutes.

charter	NAVA	1969		33	AAV	1993	
charter	FRC	1969		34	WVRI	1993	
charter	USFF	1969	ended 2003	35	HVK	1993	
charter	NFF	1969		36	CIDEC	1993	
charter	SSV	1969		37	CFZ	1995	
charter	NVvV	1969		38	CBFA	1995	
charter	SBH	1969	ended 1981	39	NZFA	1995	
charter	HSFS	1969	ended 1987	40	PTW	1995	
charter	ASM	1969	ended 1987	41	UHT	1995	
charter	OGHB	1969	ended 1985	42	MZT	1995	
charter	WH	1969	ended 1995	43	DGF	1997	
charter	AFEIV	1969	ended 1987	44	MBV	1997	
13	FI	1971		45	KVV	1997	
14	CISV	1973		46	HAVSOM	1997	
15	NF	1973		47	BDA	1997	
16	TWMF	1975		48	SRV	1999	
17	GOH	1975	ended 1997	49	GWAV	1999	
18	FRCSL	1977		50	NEVA	1999	
19	SEV	1979		51	IHW	2001	
20	SVB	1979		52	JAVA	2001	
21	FDC	1981	ended 2007	53	VDCN	2001	ended 2005
22	ACV	1985		54	CSVA	2001	ended 2008
23	FSA	1985		55	SGHAPG	2001	
24	PH	1985		56	FOTW	2001	
25	CVE	1985	ended 1992	57	VAST	2001	
26	VSHS	1985		58	FHF	2003	
27	SFV	1991		59	RCVH	2003	
28	SAVA	1991		60	SVI	2003	
29	CVS	1993		61	AVS	2005	
30	CFA	1993		62	HGZD	2007	
31	CEBED	1993		63	IVA	2007	
32	HS	1993		64	SVN	2009	

STATUTES AND CONSTITUTION

The FIAV provisional council adopted provisional statutes on September 3, 1967. The FIAV statutes were formally adopted on September 7, 1969 and amended on September 29, 1983. The statutes were replaced by the current FIAV Constitution, which was adopted on September 27, 1989. The Constitution has been amended on August 12, 1997, July 29, 1999, July 23, 2001, and August 7, 2007.

The current text of the Constitution is set out below. It contains the exact text as adopted and amended.

CONSTITUTION OF THE FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DES ASSOCIATIONS VEXILLOLOGIQUES

- I. NAME AND PURPOSES
- Art. 1 The name of this association is the Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques, which is abbreviated as "FIAV." The official translations of FIAV's name are: International Federation of Vexillological Associations (English); Internationale Föderation Vexillologischer Gesellschaften (German); and Federación Internacional de Asociaciones Vexilológicas (Spanish).
- Art. 2 FIAV unites those associations and institutions throughout the world whose object is the pursuit of vexillology, which is the creation and development of a body of knowledge about flags of all types, their forms and functions, and of scientific theories and principles based on that knowledge.
- Art. 3 FIAV has as its purposes:
- (a) To create a strong bond among those associations and institutions and to encourage and coordinate their work, studies, and research;
 - (b) to promote the organization of International Congresses of Vexillology and to lend its support to their organizers;
 - (c) to encourage the creation in all countries of associations and institutions dedicated to vexillology; and
 - (d) to sanction international standards facilitating the development of these activities.
- Art. 4 FIAV, being strictly scientific, has no commercial ends and renounces any political or religious activity or stand.
- II. HEADQUARTERS
- Art. 5 The administrative headquarters of FIAV are located at the residences of its two Secretaries-General. If necessary, the General Assembly may establish a legal headquarters for FIAV.
- III. MEMBERSHIP
- Art. 6 An applicant for membership in FIAV:
- (a) must be an organization of the type expressed in article 2;
 - (b) must be committed to the purposes of FIAV expressed in article 3; and
 - (c) must be constituted in conformity with the laws of the country where it is located.
- Art. 7
- (a) Membership in FIAV is open to any association or institution anywhere in the world having as a substantial purpose the scientific study of vexillology.
 - (b) The processing of membership applications is the responsibility of the Board. The Board may delegate this responsibility to a person appointed by it for this purpose. The procedure consists of the following:
 - (1) The applicant shall submit a membership application, which must be received by the Board no later than six months before the convening of the next session of the General Assembly.

- (2) The Board shall consider the application and make a recommendation to the General Assembly relative to the applicant and shall communicate that recommendation to the applicant and to existing Members not later than three months before the convening of the next session of the General Assembly.
 - (3) The Board may recommend acceptance of the applicant as a Member, or may recommend rejection of the applicant.
 - (4) The General Assembly at its next session shall vote on the application. An authorized representative of the applicant may appear at the session to represent its case. A rejected applicant has the right to reapply for membership at any later session of the General Assembly.
- (c) The Board and the General Assembly, in making their decisions about an applicant, shall have regard to the following:
- (1) the existence of a written constitution and its provisions;
 - (2) the vexillological and non-vexillological activities of the applicant, including meetings, publications, and international relations;
 - (3) in the case of an association, the number of its dues-paying members (minimum of five);
 - (4) registration of its members in International Congresses of Vexillology;
 - (5) the length of time it has existed; and
 - (6) the presence of an autochthonous and authorized representative of the applicant at the session of the General Assembly at which there is to be a vote on the application.
- Art. 8
- (a) A Member voluntarily resigns if it does not send a delegate to three consecutive sessions of the General Assembly. The resignation is effective at the adjournment of the third consecutive session.
 - (b) A Member may voluntarily resign by writing to the President. The resignation is effective on the date of its receipt.
 - (c) FIAV cannot reject a Member's voluntary resignation.
- Art. 9
- At its discretion, the Board may require a Member to furnish evidence of its continued qualification for membership under the terms set forth in article 7. On the basis of this evidence, the Board may make a recommendation to the General Assembly on the continuation of the membership of the association or institution. If the recommendation is made to remove a Member from FIAV, the Member in question must be notified at least three months in advance of the session of the General Assembly at which there is to be a vote on the matter. The Member shall be invited to present its defense before the General Assembly, but shall not participate in the vote on the matter.
- Art. 10
- Each Member regulates its own affairs in complete freedom, limited only by the laws in effect in the territory where it functions. FIAV may not limit the rights of the Members in this respect.
- Art. 11
- Members shall not undertake any activities contrary to the interests of FIAV.
- Art. 12
- (a) FIAV may not act on behalf of its Members without their authorization expressed in the General Assembly. Members may not make commitments nor act on behalf of FIAV.
 - (b) Members may not hold international vexillological meetings outside of International Congresses of Vexillology. Notwithstanding this prohibition, a Member holding a vexillological meeting in any year in which no International Congress of Vexillology is held may invite participation by a Member from a contiguous country.

- Art. 13 The General Assembly may name as “Laureates of the Federation” persons who have made outstanding contributions to vexillology. The General Assembly may delegate this power to the Board. The status as a Laureate does not confer any right within FIAV.
- IV. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
- Art. 14 (a) The General Assembly is composed of the Officers together with a delegate from each of the Members. Each delegate must present to the President written credentials from the Member represented. A Member may delegate any or all of its powers in writing to a delegate from any other Member or to an Officer.
- (b) A session of the General Assembly is not constituted unless delegates of at least half of the Members are present, except as provided for in article 25.
- (c) Each Member and each Officer is entitled to one vote in the General Assembly.
- Art. 15 Majorities in the General Assembly consist of the following fractions of those Members present and voting:
- (a) A simple majority in the election of Officers. If more than two candidates stand for election for an Office and no candidate receives a simple majority, then the candidate with the least votes shall be eliminated from the next ballot, and so on.
- (b) A simple majority for a motion to amend a motion under consideration, to proceed to the next item of business on the agenda, to defer consideration of a motion, to refer a motion to a Commission, to appeal a ruling of the chair, for a record vote, or to adjourn a session of the General Assembly.
- (c) Two-thirds for all other motions.
- (d) Three-quarters for amendments to the Constitution or dissolution of FIAV.
- Art. 16 The General Assembly:
- (a) elects Officers;
- (b) examines and approves the administration of the Board and the Commissions;
- (c) examines all questions concerning FIAV and in particular the organization of the International Congresses of Vexillology;
- (d) interprets the Constitution;
- (e) names Laureates of the Federation pursuant to article 13 and awards such other distinctions as it deems appropriate to persons or institutions who have shown particular merit in the field of vexillology (this power may be delegated to the Board); and
- (f) determines the amount and disposition of the annual dues, if any, to be paid by Members; and
- (g) establishes such Commissions as it deems necessary and appoints Commissioners.
- Art. 17 The General Assembly holds a session at least once every two years, normally on the occasion of each International Congress of Vexillology. The Board convenes a session of the General Assembly. The Board must give notice of the agenda, including any amendments to the Constitution or motion to dissolve FIAV, to all Members at least three months in advance of the session.
- Art. 18 The General Assembly may be called into an emergency session if extraordinary conditions require this, as determined by the Board, or if three-quarters of the Members request this of the Board.

V. ADMINISTRATION

- Art. 19
- (a) The administration of FIAV is entrusted to a Board which acts only by unanimous agreement. The Board is composed of three Officers: the President, the Secretary-General, and the Secretary-General for Congresses.
 - (b) The Officers are elected at the end of each session of the General Assembly and serve until the election of the new Officers at the next session of the General Assembly. Consent of the candidates for election is required. The Officers are eligible for re-election.
 - (c) The Secretary-General and the Secretary-General for Congresses must reside on different continents. The Secretary-General manages the Permanent Secretariat of FIAV and the Secretary-General for Congresses manages the Permanent Secretariat of the International Congresses of Vexillology. The Board is considered to be in continuous session, conducted by correspondence.
 - (d) A vacancy on the Board occurs if an Officer dies, resigns, or lacks mental capacity under the laws where the Officer resides. Absence of an Officer at a session of the General Assembly creates a vacancy on the Board unless excused by the General Assembly. The resignation of an Officer must be received in writing by another Officer, or if no Officer remains, then by the organizer of the next International Congress of Vexillology. The resignation is effective on the date of its receipt. If a vacancy occurs, the position shall remain vacant and the duties of that Officer shall be performed by the remaining Officers. If no Officer remains to perform the duties of the Board, then the organizer of the next International Congress of Vexillology shall select an interim Secretary-General from among the Fellows of the Federation, if available, who shall have the limited authority to take those acts necessary to convene a session of the General Assembly pursuant to article 17 or 18 and preside until the General Assembly elects a presiding officer for the remainder of the session.

Art. 20 The Board:

- (a) manages the current affairs of FIAV and establishes the duties and obligations of its Officers;
- (b) issues directives which it considers necessary to the success of the activities of FIAV, including the International Congresses of Vexillology;
- (c) establishes such Commissions as it deems necessary and appoints Commissioners;
- (d) convenes sessions of the General Assembly pursuant to articles 17 and 18;
- (e) represents FIAV in its relations with other national and international institutions; and
- (f) manages membership procedures pursuant to article 7 and encourages vexillological associations and institutions to apply for FIAV membership.

Art. 21 FIAV's assent to an agreement imposing a binding obligation on FIAV may only be given by a written document signed by all Officers. Current correspondence may be signed by any single Officer.

VI. LANGUAGES

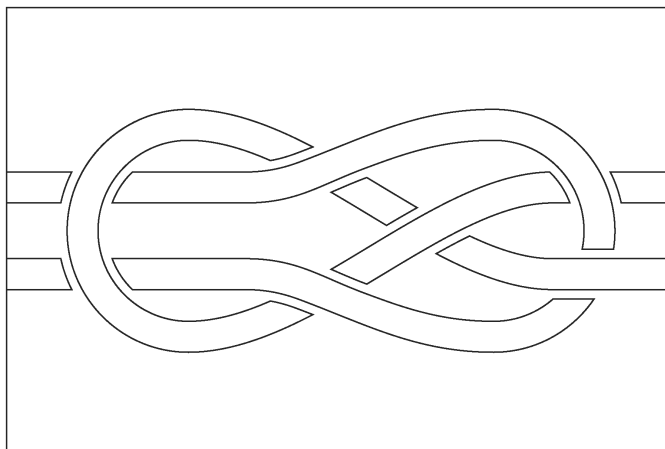
Art. 22 The official languages of FIAV and the International Congresses of Vexillology are English, French, German, and Spanish. Other languages may be used when appropriate.

VII. PUBLICATIONS

- Art. 23
- (a) FIAV shall publish a newsletter concerning its activities at least once a year for the benefit of its Members, which may be freely reproduced. The General Assembly may initiate or authorize other publications.
 - (b) The Flag Bulletin (ISSN 0015-3370) is recognized as a journal for the publication of scientific articles in the field of vexillology.

VIII. SYMBOLS

- Art. 24 (a) FIAV's flag is described as follows: "On a blue field, extending horizontally from hoist to fly, two yellow halyards forming two interlaced loops." The color blue is defined as Pantone Matching System U293 and the color yellow is defined as Pantone Matching System U123. The Flag is illustrated as follows:



- (b) The General Assembly may initiate or authorize other symbols for FIAV.

IX. DISSOLUTION

- Art. 25 (a) A motion to dissolve FIAV may be considered only at a session of the General Assembly at which delegates of at least three-quarters of the Members are present.
- (b) Instead of sending a delegate, a Member may chose to submit to the President a written, notarized statement expressing that Member's vote in favor of, or in opposition to, the motion to dissolve. A Member that submits any such statement shall be considered present at the session for the purpose of determining that the session is constituted to consider a motion to dissolve.
- (c) The General Assembly establishes the terms of the dissolution.

Adopted September 27, 1989 by the Eleventh Session of the General Assembly held during the Thirteenth International Congress of Vexillology at Ballarat, Victoria, Australia.

Amended August 12, 1997 (article 14(a)) by the Fifteenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Seventeenth International Congress of Vexillology at Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa.

Amended July 29, 1999 (adding new article 1 and renumbering and amending remaining articles) by the Sixteenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Eighteenth International Congress of Vexillology at Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

Amended July 23, 2001 (eliminating the distinction between Full and Associate Members and amending articles 15 and 23) by the Seventeenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology at York, England, United Kingdom.

Amended August 7, 2007 (articles 19(d) and 24) by the Twentieth Session of the General Assembly held during the Twenty-Second International Congress of Vexillology at Berlin, Germany.

Amended July 14, 2009 (article 8) by the Twenty-First Session of the General Assembly held during the Twenty-Third International Congress of Vexillology at Yokohama, Japan. **Note:** The first General Assembly session to which article 8 shall apply shall be the Twenty-Second Session in 2011. The first possible resignation under article 8(a) would, therefore, be at the adjournment of the Twenty-Fourth Session in 2015.

FLAG INFORMATION CODE

The Flag Information Code was adopted on August 27, 1981. The code has been amended on July 5, 1995 and July 23, 2001. The current text of the code is set out below. It contains the exact text as adopted and amended.

FLAG INFORMATION CODE

Sec. 1 The Fédération internationale des associations vexillologiques (FIAV) adopts this Flag Information Code and encourages its use by FIAV Members, individual vexillologists, publishers, and others who study flags.

Sec. 2 The purposes of the Code are:

- (a) to allow basic information about flags to be recorded and transmitted concisely, accurately, and in a manner which (1) insofar as possible eliminates misunderstandings and (2) is both easy to learn and comprehensible to persons knowing different languages;
- (b) to standardize knowledge of flags in order to facilitate comparative studies of flag characteristics;
- (c) to provide a convenient system for researchers, publishers, and others to record, exchange, and publish information; and
- (d) to eliminate, insofar as possible, the confusion that exists in the terminology employed by governments and others to describe national flags and their use.

Sec. 3 FLAG COLORS

(a) The following abbreviations indicate flag colors:

R	(red)
O	(orange)
Y	(yellow)
V	(green)
B	(blue)
P	(purple)
N	(black)
W	(white)
G	(grey)
M	(brown)
Au	(gold)
Ag	(silver)

(b) Colors other than those listed above are not abbreviated.

(c) The following symbols indicate approximate color shades:

-	(light)
--	(very light)
+	(dark)
++	(very dark)

(d) The use of a color description without a symbol indicates a medium, normal, or unknown shade of the color.

Sec. 4 FLAG PROPORTIONS

Flag proportions are indicated by a ratio. The first figure corresponds to the width of the flag, which is defined as the side normally attached to the pole or staff. The second figure corresponds to the length of the flag. A flag with a width of 3 units and a length of 5 units is written either 3:5 or 3x5.

Sec. 5 NATIONAL FLAG USE

- (a) The following grid is used to describe the use or uses of a flag whose primary purpose is to identify nationality rather than some other characteristic (such as the rank of an individual, the existence of a specific government or military institution, or some other concept):



- (b) The six areas of the grid indicate the six basic uses of national flags: (1) use by private individuals and institutions on land; (2) use by nonmilitary governmental institutions on land; (3) use by military institutions on land; (4) use by private individuals and institutions at sea; (5) use by nonmilitary governmental institutions at sea; and (6) use by military institutions at sea. Private, nonmilitary governmental, and military use is indicated from left to right by the three vertical columns; use on land and at sea is indicated from top to bottom by the two horizontal rows.
- (c) The grid is written or printed in the line of identifying text near the flag illustration, together with the ratio indicating proportions. The use or uses of the flag are indicated by placing a point (•) or an × in the appropriate area or areas of the grid.

Sec. 6 The flag information summarized by the Code is not a substitute for a specific textual description of a flag and its use or uses.

Sec. 7 An amendment to the Code may be adopted only by the FIAV General Assembly. Before the General Assembly considers an amendment, the amendment should be discussed by individuals attending the International Congress of Vexillology during which the General Assembly session will be held. FIAV Members and individual vexillologists are encouraged to propose amendments based on their experience in using the Code.

Adopted August 27, 1981 by the Seventh Session of the General Assembly held during the Ninth International Congress of Vexillology at Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Amended July 5, 1995 (III. A.) by the Fourteenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Sixteenth International Congress of Vexillology at Warszawa, Poland.

Amended July 23, 2001 (adding new section 1 and renumbering and amending remaining articles) by the Seventeenth Session of the General Assembly held during the Nineteenth International Congress of Vexillology at York, England, United Kingdom.

STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS

AAV	Asociación Argentina de Vexilología
ACV	Associació Catalana de Vexil·lologia
AFA	American Flag Association (see USFF)
AFEIV	Association française d'études internationale de vexillologie (formerly Association internationale d'études vexillologique (AIEV))
AIEV	Association internationale d'études vexillologique (see AFEIV)
AMGH	Academia Mejicana de Genealogía y Heráldica
APCRA	Asociación de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (see CIDEDEC)
ARV	Association Réunionnaise de Vexillologie
ASM	Accademia di San Marcianno, Sezione Vessillologica
ASV	Asociación Venezolana de Simbología (see AVS)
AVS	Asociación Venezolana de Simbología (incorrectly abbreviated ASV)
BB	Bannieloù Breizh
BDA	The Burgee Data Archives (formerly Canadian Flag Institute (CFI))
CBFA	Chesapeake Bay Flag Association
CEBED	Centre Belgo-Européen d'Études des Drapeaux
CFA	The Canadian Flag Association / L'Association canadienne de vexillologie
CFI	Canadian Flag Institute (see BDA)
CFZ	Centrum Flagi Ziemi / Earth Flag Centre
CIDEDEC	Fundación Centro Interdisciplinario de Estudios Culturales (temporarily known as Asociación de Profesionales del Ceremonial de la República Argentina (APCRA))
CISV	Centro Italiano Studi Vessillologici
CSVA	Confederate States Vexillological Association
CVE	Cumann Vexilleolaíoch na hÉireann / Vexillological Society of Ireland
CVS	Česká vexilologická společnost o. s. (formerly Vexilologický Klub (VK))
DGF	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Flaggenkunde e.V.
FANZ	The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (see NZFA)
FDC	The Flag Design Center
FF	Fellow of the Federation
FHF	Flag Heritage Foundation
FI	The Flag Institute
FOTW	Flags of the World
FPF	Flag Plaza Foundation (see NFF)
FRC	The Flag Research Center
FRCSL	Flag Research Centre of Sri Lanka
FSA	Flag Society of Australia Inc.
GOH	Gesellschaft für Österreichische Heereskunde
GWAV	Great Waters Association of Vexillology (formerly Great Waters Chapter (GWC))
GWC	Great Waters Chapter (see GWAV)
HAVSOM	The Heraldry and Vexilology Society of Malta
HCEHS	The Heraldry College of the Estonian Heritage Society
HGZD	Hrvatsko grboslovno i zastavoslovno društvo / Croatian Heraldic and Vexillologic Association
HS	Heraldica Slovenica (formerly Slovenski Ščit - HGK Club (SS))
HSFS	Heraldry Society, Flag Section
HUVA	Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (see MZT)
HVK	Heraldischer Verein "Zum Kleeblatt" von 1888 zu Hannover e.V.
IAFM	International Association of Flag Manufacturers
IBV	Instituto Brasileiro de Vexilologia
IHW	Instytut Heraldyczno-Weksylogiczny
IVA	Indian Vexillological Association
JAVA	日本旗章学協会 / Nihon Kishougaku Kyoukai / Japanese Vexillological Association
KVV	Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh / Société Bretonne de Vexillologie (formerly abbreviated SBV)
LF	Laureate of the Federation
MBV	Mauritius Buch Verlag GmbH
MHZ	Македонско Хералдичко Здружение / Makedonsko Heraldicko Zdruzenie /Macedonian Heraldry Society
MZT	Magyarországi Zászló Társaság (formerly Zászlókutató Intézet (ZI) and Magyar Vexillológiai Társaság / Hungarian Vexillological Association (HUVA))
NAVA	North American Vexillological Association
NEVA	New England Vexillological Association
NF	Nordisk Flaggselskap / Nordisk Flagselskab / Nordiska Flaggsällskapet / Norræna Fánafélagið / Pohjoismaiden Lippuseura

NFF	National Flag Foundation (formerly Flag Plaza Foundation (FPF))
NVV	Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (see NVVV)
NVvV	Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vlaggenkunde (formerly abbreviated NVV and NVVV)
NZFA	New Zealand Flag Association (formerly The Flag Association of New Zealand / Te Roopu Haki Matua o Aotearoa (FANZ))
NZFIT	New Zealand Flag Institute Trust (NZFIT)
OGHB	Office Généalogique et Héraldique de Belgique
P	FIAV President
PH	Partioheraldikot r.y. (formerly abbreviated PR)
PR	Partioheraldikot r.y. (see PH)
PTW	Polskie Towarzystwo Weksylogiczne
RCVH	Российский Центр флаговедения и геральдики / Russian Centre of Vexillology and Heraldry (formerly Volga Vexillology Club (VVC))
SAVA	Southern African Vexillological Association
SBH	Stichting voor Banistiek en Heraldiek
SBV	Kevarzhe Vannielouriezh Vreizh / Société Bretonne de Vexillologie (see KVV)
SCHG	ჭერალდიკის სახელმწიფო საბჭო საქართველოს პარლამენტთან არსებული / State Council of Heraldry at the Parliament of Georgia
SEV	Sociedad Española de Vexilología
SFV	Société française de vexillologie
SG	FIAV Secretary-General
SGC	FIAV Secretary-General for Congresses
SGHAPG	Societatea de Genealogie, Heraldică și Arhivistică "Paul Gore"
SRV	Societatea Română de Vexilologie
SS	Slovenski Ščit - HGV Club (see HS)
SSV	Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Fahnen- und Flaggenkunde / Société Suisse de Vexillologie / Società Svizzera di Vessillologia
SVAL	Société Vexillologique d'Alsace-Lorraine
SVB	Societas Vexillologica Belgica
SVI	Středisko vexilologických informací / Flag Data Centre
SVN	Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Nederland (formerly Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR))
SVO	Société vexillologique de l'ouest
SVR	Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (see SVN)
SVPR	Stichting Vlaggenparade Rotterdam (formerly Stichting Vlaggenmuseum Rotterdam (SVR))
TWMF	Tumbling Waters Museum of Flags
UHT	Українське Геральдичне Товариство / Ukrayins'ke Heral'dychne Tovarystvo / The Ukrainian Heraldry Society
USFA	United States Flag Association (see USFF)
USFF	United States Flag Foundation (formerly American Flag Association (AFA) and United States Flag Association (USFA))
VAST	Vexillological Association of the State of Texas
VDCN	Vlaggen Dokumentatie Centrum Nederland
VK	Vexilologický Klub (see CVS)
VSHA	Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (see VSHS)
VSHS	Västra Sveriges Heraldiska Sällskap (incorrectly abbreviated VSHA)
VVC	Volga Vexillology Club (see RCVH)
WH	Wappen-Herold, Deutsche Heraldische Gesellschaft e.V.
WVRI	World Vexillological Research Institute
ZI	Zászlókutató Intézet (see MZT)

PRESENCE OF FIAV MEMBER DELEGATES AND OTHERS AT GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSIONS 1–20

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FRC charter	1969		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
USFF charter	1969	2003			X			X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----
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SSV charter	1969		X	X	X	X		X			X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
NVvV (NVV) charter	1969		X	X	X	X		X							X	X			X	X		X
SBH charter	1969	1981	X	X	X	X	X	X		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
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TWMF 16	1975		-----	-----	-----	X	X			X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
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FSA 23	1985		-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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